Student and Exchange Visitor Information System (SEVIS) Release 6.47 Final System Changes

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The following summarizes the final system changes to SEVIS Release 6.47.

F/M School Officials

Optional Practical Training (OPT) Participation for Students at the 24-month Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) Extension

School officials will have the ability to report student compliance for active F-1 nonimmigrant students within an approved period of STEM Extension. The 'Report OPT Participation' button will display 31 days after the 24-month reporting due date, to meet regulatory requirements.

User Manuals

SEVP will no longer update the User Manuals for school officials. Please refer to the <u>SEVIS</u> <u>Help Hub</u> to reflect the change implemented with SEVIS Release 6.47.

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